Nevada City Grass Valley NUGGET

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Innocent, Says Lois

REMEMBERS SOME EVENTS, BUT AMNESIA BLOCKS OUT MURDER

NEVADA CITY: Lois Hunt Hardy, accused of the murder of James McLain, took the witness stand in her own defense, yesterday in Superior Corut. The diminutive ex-waitress, her tousled blonde hair tumbling around her shoulders, told a sordid story that comprised an autobiography and review of incidents previous to the now famous "lure murder."

Amnesia, according to Mrs. Hardy, blotted out the climax of the strange journey allegedly taken by Hardy, McLain and herself.

She told the jury that, as far as she knew, she did not hold McLain's head while the death shots were fired, and did not "intentionally" lure him into the woods. The prosecution asserts that the ill-fated elevator operator, McLain, died in the woman's arms on a blanket in the woods near Truckee, after she gave Joseph Hardy the nod to fire the revolver.

She recounted meeting McLain in the last week of last July while she and Hardy were engaged in apparently aimless hitch-hiking expeditions between Salt Lake City and Reno.

Speaking of McLain, she continued: "He drove for about a half an hour and asked my husband to drive and he sat by me. The minute he sat by me he immediately put his arms around me and started hugging me. I pushed him away. I fell asleep on Joey's shoulder and later when the car stopped and I awoke, I was on McLain's shoulder and he had his arms around me. We went to a cabin. McLain said he had to go out and when he was gone I asked Joey if he (McLain) was going to stay with us, and Joey said yes. I said I didn't trust him, but Joey assured me he wouldn't do any harm.

"McLain came back and then Joey borrowed the car to go to town to get some beer. Soon as he left McLain came towards me, he put his arms around me and kissed me. I pushed him away because I didn't want him to do that. I told him if he'd lay his hands on me again I'd kill him. But I don't think I did because I didn't have anything to kill him with.

"The next thing I remember is I was in the woods and being pushed down and down, and then next thing I found myself in the car with Joey and he asked me to reach in the dashboard and take out the papers and throw them away, which I did. Next we got married and then I remember my back being hurt and injured and I was taken out of a car. They took me to a hospital, I was still dizzy."

PARKING METERS

GRASS VALLEY: Beginning Thursday, police cited motorists who failed to pay for parking.

AGG UNDER DOCTOR'S CARE TIME OF MURDER-SUICIDE

RASS VALLEY: It developed that Harry man Bragg, who killed his wife with a shotgun hen fired the other barrel into his head with fatal , was under a doctor's care at the time of the dy.

e had been examined by Dr. Orvin P. Fry at 6 k, an hour before he came home to 117 Park ue, on the day of the murder, where, according neighbors, he engaged in an argument with his that resulted in the tragedy. Bragg was hurt when ailer of a lumber truck swerved off the road and ed into his car, in which he was sitting.

rrived home shortly before t and found his wife en- in packing her clothes. were no preparations for apparently. Neighbors re- that she had stated she turning to her home in ota. The nine-months old John Bragg, in his swing, e police entered the apart- t 7 o'clock, was crying Probation Officer Thomas arranged for its care in hospital.

bers of the A. E. Burchard are expected to arrive from ta by plane in Sacramento ernoon to arrange for the ion of Mrs. Bragg's re- Mrs. Bragg was formerly irginia Burchard.

a Valley police learned that tgun used in the shooting ed by Kelly Ray, 304 ain Street. The gun was by Bragg for pheasant several weeks ago.

Chief Frank Knuckey answered a phone call cramento from the United asking for the confir- of the cancellation of a served for Mrs. Bragg on

PTONVILLE NEWS

Oregon Creek Lumber mill at Camptonville Friday for the winter.

Martin Nordahl, teacher fifth to eighth grades in mptonville Union School, day evening to spend the acation months with his and to visit friends in California. He may re- aking in the Bald Moun- ng area above Campton- ould snow conditions be

ptonville Union School Friday afternoon with a of sleigh bells and a jolly from Santa Claus, bear- ge pack of oranges and nes for all. Students of ol presented a program tmas songs and readings usical in which all took program was witnessed ers of the Camptonville Teachers Association.

ers o the Camptonville Society of Christian report their recent sale and fancy work held in k Mercantile a big suc- food and nearly all the of fancy work went to day shoppers.

Camptonville Community is planning a Sunday Christmas party on the of Friday, December 19, Community Church. There program and treats from aus for all the children.

Tunia Vandenbout held stration on holiday des- ay at the home of Mrs. ndall. Her next home tion will concern the in fashions and will the Nelson Stone home nuary.

al Mrs. Frakn Amaral plan to spend the holidays in Eureka Amaral's relatives.

Mrs. James D. Ritten- family are leaving this spend the holidays in California with relatives ienhouse.

amptonville Women's their Christmas meet- ber 5th. Mrs. Jimmie was hostess of the which was held at the e home.

Heads Local Federal Workers Post Point

A CITY: A large of federal employes t Hoage, national rep- e of the National Fed- of Federal Employes, the subject of a local on.

irtieth anniversary of ation was September started with 70 local ns. Now there are ludes all types of ser- charwomen to profes- bers. Its object is to e welfare of federal in the United States ance the efficiency of ion.

t of Congress in 1912 dity to government to organize. It was the meeting to make on for a charter. Any one can join by com- with William French, or Lilian Nygard, reasurer.

SIX ALIENS NOW CITIZENS

NEVADA CITY: Six aliens were admitted to citizenship following examinations in the Superior Court Wednesday morning. Each one was presented with American and Bear flags on their successful completion of the examination, by a committee of Native Daughters of the Golden West. A committee from the American Legion presented each one with a flag code.

Five of the new citizens are from Grass Valley. The sixth, Caroline Barbara Schneider native of Germany, is from Chicago Park. From Grass Valley were John Raymond Erramouspe, France; William Philips Simmons, Great Britain; Nazzareno Angelo Vetrallini, Italy; John James Jory, England; and William Ernest Bennetts, England.

DONATION DAY

GRASS VALLEY: Donation Day, an institution amost as old as the county, will take place this year December 19th at 10 o'clock in the morning.

The event, annually sponsored by the Ladies Relief Society, will open with a parade in which each participant will carry a gift for city's needy. School children usually turn out in force. Each carries something for the poor of the city. It may be a can of fruit, a small bag of potatoes, an armful of wood, clean clothing, or any other useful gift.

Police Chief Knuckey said yesterday that police officers will take up a cash collection in their caps among the merchants while the parade is in progress.

LOLA RICHMOND SELLS GRILL

GRASS VALLEY: The Valley Grill and the Tahoe Cafe have been sold, it was announced yesterday, by Mrs. Lola Richmond to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walgren, formerly of Long Beach. The new owners took possession Saturday.

Mrs. Richmond, it is announced, will operate the food concession at the Gold Bowl, bowling alleys, now nearing completion on Bank Street.

HOWSER OFF BEAM SAYS D. A. VERN STOLL

NEVADA CITY: District Attorney Vernon Stoll commening on the statment of Attorney General Frederick N. Howser that Nevada County was one of "ten dark spots" in California, said:

"If Howser has any information about houses of prostitution in Nevada County, he has not told the peace officers here. The clean-up of prostitution that took place when Camp Beale was open has been effective in a major degree and still continues so, I think.

"There is probably more prostitution in one block of Los Angeles than in the entire county of Nevada. I have reason to believe that Nevada County is one of the cleaner counties of the state."

STEVENS DIRECTS RADIO XMAS PLAY

GRASS VALLEY: "Mugsby Junction," a Christmas story written by Charles Dickens, adapted and directed for radio by Elmer Stevens of the Grass Valley High School, will be presented over Radio Station KGFN Tuesday evening by the Speech Class of the high school at 7:45 to 8:15.

This will represent the fifth in a series of broadcasts by the Grass Valley High School, under the direction of Stevens.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

ROSE-MAPES: In Nevada City, Nevada County, December 6, 1947, David Conrad Rose, 29, and Dorothy Mae Snider Mapes, 25, both of Truckee.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Over 700 Scouts, parents and friends attended the Annual Fall Rally of the Tahoe Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, held in the High School gymnasium in Roseville Saturday evening, December 6th.

The presentation of Eagle Scout badges to Scouts Herbert L. Cummins and Donald L. Stevenson, both of Troop 22, Grass Valley, was the highlight of the Rally. In a colorful candlelight cermony the Scouts again recommitted themselves to the Scout Oath and Law. Council Commissioner Charles W. Lauppe then made the presentation of the badges to the Scouts in the presence of their parents. Scouts from Troop 11 of Roseville served as honor guards for the ceremony and District Commissioner Bob Scneder of Roseville conducted the Scouts through the Scout Law stations.

The program started at 7:30 with Master of Ceremonies Harold E. Chastain directing the opening ceremonies.

Scout Executive Raymond J. Ewan was called upon for the opening remarks and responded with a brief talk in which he pointed out the spirit of Scout friendship which characterized Scout gatherings of all kinds from a Council-wide event of this sort to a World Jamboree such as the one held in France last summer.

Introductions of committee members and the Troops and Scoutmasters followed after which the entire assemblage joined in the singing of Scout songs.

The Rally competitive events followed the presentation of the Eagle ranks. The events were held under the direction of Chief Judge Robert Scneder, aided by the following members of the Rally Committee: M. E. Witting, chairman; R. F. Brill, chief storekeeper; George J. Middleton, F. Sayre Huntting, A. Ray Wellington, Marshall Porter, Roger T. Blay, Clyde Chase, judges; Ray E. Arp, chief timer; Harry Poole, S. M. Coppin, J. D. Arnett, Phil Birch, Dave Johnson, Glen Hardison, timers; Howard G. Lee, floor manager; and Charles W. Lauppe, council commissioner.

Troop 11 of Roeville, under the leadership of Scoutmaster Phil Leak, emerged as winner of the events with a score of 1350 points.

Troop 10 of Auburn, directed by Scoutmaster Fred Knudsen, came in second with a score of 800 points. Third place was taken by Troop 22 of Grass Valley with a total of 325 points.

Other Troops scoring in the events were Troop 2, Grass Valley, Stan Clewett, Scoutmaster. 250 points; Troop 12, Loomis, Bruce Barnes, Scoutmaster, 200 points; Troop 3, Auburn, J. M. "Red" Warner, Scoutmaster, 150 points; Troop 4, Grass Valley, Sam Partridge, Scoutmaster, 100 points; Troop 4, Roseville, Kingsley Gaines, Scoutmaster, 100 points; Troop 25, Colfax, Blair Eddy, Scoutmaster, 75 points.

Individual events winners were:

Event No. 1, Knot Tying—Owen Waltrip, Tr. 11, time 30 sec. (new Council record).

Event No. 2, Fire by Flint and Steel—Bill Hamilton, Tr. 11, time 7 seconds.

Event No. 3, Signaling, Morse Code with Flags—Tr. 10 team, time 1:58.1.

Event No. 4, Fire by Friction, Bow and Spindle—John Edgar, Tr. 11, time 36.2.

Event No. 5, Knot Tying 2nd Class—Art Bobb, Tr. 11.

Event No. 6, Fire by Friction, Pump Drill—Chris Catlin, Tr. 10, time 3 seconds.

Event No. 7, Can Race—Deno Hasapis, Tr. 11, time 43.6.

Event No. 8, Semaphore Signaling with Flags—Tr. 11 team, time 1:54.5.

Event No. 9, Rope Climb—Johnnie Rodriguez, Tr. 12, time 5.1 sec. (new Council record).

Event No. 10, Model Airplane Flight—David Watt, Tr. 11, time 5 seconds.

Event No. 11, Bugling—David Juarros, Tr. 12.

Demonstrations in wall scaling by Troop 11; uses of neckerchie, by Troop 10; compass by Troop 22; tent pitching by Troop 14; judging by Troop 2; and Scout games by Troop 4, proved to be an interesting feature of the Rally.

The awards were presented to the winners by Council President Judge Lowell L. Sparks.

Field Executive Melville C. Johns conducted the closing camp fire ceremony. During the ceremony a moment of silence was lead by Commissoner Scneder in which the good wishes were directed toward the recovery of Council Vice-president Lou Poulsen who is critically ill. Scout Executive Ewan gave the "Scoutmaster's minute" which was followed by the "Scoutmaster's benediction."

FIRE DESTROYS TRAILER, LUMBER

GRASS VALLEY: An early morning fire on Saturday destroyed a two-wheel trailer and part of a pile of lumber adjacent to the home of Frank Valenta, 168 Whiting Street.

A portion of the lumber, intended for building a garage, was saved. The trailer was completely destroyed. The Valenta home was undamaged. The firemen arrived promptly.

DITCH DYNAMITING EXHIBITION GIVEN ON R. WETMORE RANCH

GRASS VALLEY: A demonstration in dynamiting open a ditch was made Thursday afternoon on Ralph Wetmore Ranch in the Forest Springs District, seven miles south of Grass Valley on Highway 49. The ditch was constructed for drainage purposes.

A ditch consisted of one lateral main ditch and joined to it a ditch 760 feet long. Placing the dynamite was a job for one day for two men. Dynamite sticks were placed vertically in the swamp with the top of each stick approximately 12 inches below the surface.

In all, 4000 pounds of dynamite were used. The sticks were placed 12 to 14 inches apart. Cost of the dynamite was $118.90, making the cost per foot of ditch approximately 18 cents. The ditch is five feet wide and 3½ feet deep. Ten acres of land was benefited.

There must be plenty of water in the ground to be blasted because only one stick of dynamite is set off by cap. The rest explode from the detonation of the first.

Ralph Wetmore and Sam Vitis were employed in planting the dynamite. The demonstration was made under the sponsorship of the Nevada County Soil Conservation District and the Nevada Irrigation District.

This method of opening ditches is said to be beneficial in swampy areas where it would be necessary to construct a plank road into the property in order to carry in a drag line. Small jobs can be completed in the time it takes to bring in a heavy piece of equipment.

XMAS PARTY FOR KIDS AT BROADWAY

NEVADA CITY: The annual kiddies show sponsored by the Broadway Theatre will take place next Friday at 2 p. m. A Gene Autry picture and a comic will be shown, features popular with the youngsters.

Ralph Achey, the manager, states there will be gifts for all children at the close of the show. The Chamber of Commerce, Lions, Rotary, and Elks are contributing to make the event a success.

UREN STREET NOW OPEN

NEVADA CITY: Uren Street, recently named after Edward Uren, city engineer, is open for traffic but not paved. City superintendent of streets, Herbert Hallett, states it will be paved as soon as spring weather conditions permit.

Between 42 and 45 hundred yards of base rock have been distributed over the surface. The roadbed is 40 feet wide with pavement expected to be 38 feet.

BERGEMANN HEADS C. OF C.

NEVADA CITY: J. Paul Bergemann, owner of Holmes Funeral Home, was elected president of the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening. He succeeds George Hansen, whose term expired.

Other officers chosen were Al Irby, vice-president; Ed R. Hewston, Cecil Holmes, Geo. Hansen, W. R. Davis, Mrs. Harold Deeter, and Ray Spickelmier, directors. Installation of the officers will take place at the January meeting with Cedric S. Porter in charge.

W. R. Davis was named chairman of the 1948 Fourth of July committee. The celebration will take place in Nevada City. Plans were discussed for decorating the city with Christmas lights.

COUNCIL WILL PAY $60 FOR SHORT WAVE

NEVADA CITY: The Nevada City Council have agreed to pay $60 per month toward the maintenance of a short-wave radio station as an aid to law enforcement.

The station will be run on a 24-hour basis and will be used by all peace officers of the county under direction of the sheriff. The county will contribute $105 per month, and Grass Valley $80 per month toward its maintenance.

Lions Club Has Christmas Party

GRASS VALLEY: The Grass Valley Lions Club held its annual Christmas party last Thursday evening in Bret Harte Inn. Dr. John Ballou was chairman of the program.

Each member was asked to bring a gift for another member whose name was given. Several of the club members also brought gifts for pals.

The Lions Club, the Grass Valley Rotary and the Nevada City Elks will join in entertaining the members of the Grass Valley and Nevada City football squads at dinner next Thursday night, December 18th, at the high school cafeteria.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Christian Science Society of Nevada City holds services every Sunday in their Church, 114 Boulder Street, at 11 o'clock.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

Wednesday evening, testimonial meetings are held on the first and third Wednesdays of each month, at 8 o'clock.

Our reading room is now located in the Church edifice at 114 Boulder Street and is poen Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, holidays excepted, from 2 to 4 p. m.

MWPL NAMES NEW OFFICERS

GRASS VALLEY: The Mine Workers Protective League has elected Phil Dussart, president. He and other officers will be seated after January 1st.

Other officers chosen were Richard Lambie, vice-president; William Goudge, second vice-president; Phil Angove, recording secretary; William Rowlett, financial secretary; Thomas C. C. Mackay, treasurer; Ed Baldwin, door keeper; and R. J. Bennallack and Charles Hatch, trustees. The executive committee consists of William Penaluna, Walter Fletcher, Caribeno Orzalli, Lee Miller, Lucian Cowells, Kenneth Hotchkiss, and Kirk Whitmore.

LOCAL QUINTET TROUNCES LINCOLN

NEVADA CITY: The Nevada City High School Cagers handed two basketball defeats Saturday night in the local gym to the visiting Lincoln hoopsters. The score was 26 to 16 in the A game and 26 to 25 in the B game, both in favor of Nevada City.

Ellis, forward, was high man in the A game, scoring 6 points for Nevada City, while Ruiz, guard for Lincoln, made 5 points. In the B game, John Cartoscelli, guard, made 19 points for Nevada City, and Musra, guard for Lincoln, marked up 8 points. With three seconds to go, a field goal was scored by Nevada City, giving them the game by one point.

Edna Aunee Becomes Mrs. Guy W. Brooks

NEVADA CITY: Miss Edna Aunee was married to Guy W. Brooks on Monday December 1st in Reno, Nevada. A wedding breakfast was given for the popular Nevada City couple at which Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis, Carl Foote, Jack Fontz, Miss Rose Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stevens, all of this city were guests.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hardman of this city, and has been employed as a waiter in the Shamrock Cafe here. The bridegroom graduated from the Nevada City High School. He enlisted in the National Guard in 1940 and served six years in the U. S. Army.

He is empoyed by the State Division of Highways and has been stationed at Donner Summit through recent months. The couple will live in this city.

Sparnon Collects Gadgets For Vets To Repair

GRASS VALLEY: Ray Sparnon, barber, has made his shop on Main Street, a depot for collecting all sorts of small mechanisms needing repairs.

His shop is crowded with watches, guns, clocks and electrical appliances that for one reason or another have broken down. The items are deposited with Sparnon for forwarding to veterans hospitals where they are repaired often by a sick veteran who has nothing else to do. Sparnon is regional chairman of Elks Veterans Service Commission which seeks to provide broken gadgets such as heaters, electric irons, leather goods, and anything of a small size that can be tinkered with.

JOSS HOUSE WILL BE BUILT AGAIN

GRASS VALLEY: Final plans for the construction of a Joss House in Grass Valley by the Nevada County Historical Society have been completed by Co-chairmen Elmer Stevens and Edward Tinloy. The old Joss House taken from China Town in Grass Valley a number of years ago when the modern Terminal Station was constructed has been placed in storage by Stevens, now Chairman for Mueeums of the society. It will be refinished and placed in an appropriate shelter in Memorial Park, according to plans. With them will be a complete Chinese display now housed in the Nevada City Museum.

Doris Foley, President of the Nevada County Historical Society, urges full co-operation and support to Stevens and Tinloy in their plans to restore "one of the few remaining Joss Houses in the west."

The City Council of Grass Valley recently voted to permit the construction of the Joss House by Stevens and his committee.

Public subscription aided by money appropriated by the Historical Society will furnish financial support for the project shortly after the first of the year.

BERNICE GLASSON HEADS COMMITTEE FOR SPROUL DINNER

GRASS VALLEY: Miss Bernice Glasson, 515 West Main Street, has been appointed chairman oif the University of California Alumni dinner meeting for President Robert Gordon Sproul in Grass Valley, January 13th.

This will be President Sproul's first appearance before a Northern California alumni group since 1941. Reservations for the dinner should be mailed to the chairman.

Accompaying Dr. Sproul will be Dr. Stafford L. Warren, medical director of the Manhattan Project, now dean of the UCLA school of medicine; John D. Hicks, professor of history and authority on the development of American foreign policy; Robert Sibley, executive manager of the California Alumni Association, and Lou Stoakes, student yell leader.

President Sproul will address 13 meetings during his tour of one week in Northern California.

LILA SWAZEY BREAKS BACK

NEVADA CITY: Lila Swazey, 14, freshman in the Nevada City High School, is in the Miners Hospital here suffering from a fractured spine resulting from a fall on the school grounds Wednesday.

The girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bartsch. Her brother, Joseph Bartsch, was released from the Miners Hospital in time for a Thanksgiving at home. He suffered a fracture of bones in his hand that required surgery.

University Women Meet, Hear Mathieson

GRASS VALLEY: The Nevada County Branch of the Association of American University Women met Wednesday evening, December 10th, in the home of Mrs. Marjorie Matteson, 126 South School Street, for its annual Christmas party.

Gifts of not more than 50 cents value were exchanged. Theodore Mathieson of the high school faculty gave a dramatic reading, Mrs. Barnes, chairman of the creative arts section, Mrs. Carville Sparkes and Mrs. Raymond Scott served refreshments. Christmas carols were a feature of the program.

SYMBOLS OF CHRISTMAS

NEVADA CITY: A big Christmas tree has been erected on top of the courthouse. When lighted at night it attracts much attention.

The Nevada City Chamber of Commerce has placed a tree on the corner of Pine and Broad, adjacent to the Bank of America. Georg Hansen, president of the chamber, personally supervised the job of erecting it.

MORGAN BARKER TO WED SOON

NEVADA CITY: From Berkeley comes the announcement of the betrothal of Miss Phyllis Kiesel, daughter of Mrs. Fred W. Kiesel and her late husband, to Edgar Morgan Barker, the son of Mr and Mrs. Edgar E. Barker of Berkeley and Nevada City.

It is announced the couple will be married early in 1948. The bride-elect was enrolled in the University of California and was a member of the Alpha Phi Sorority.

Her fiance graduated from the University of Utah as a mining engineer. His profession has taken him to South America, Africa and other places around the world.

Violet Wood, W. F. Hipes Wed in Reno Ceremony

NEVADA CITY: Mrs. Violet Wood was married Friday morning, December 5, to W. F. Hipes in Reno, Nevada. The ceremony was performed in the chamber of Justice of the Peace E. H. Beemer arts section Mrs. Carville Sparks

A reception was given the newly wedded pair Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Patton, at Union Hill, Grass Valley.

The couple will reside at 555 North Pine Street, Nevada City. Mrs. Hipes met her husband while driving a staff car in 1943 at Camp Beale.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Olive Dorsey of Roseville has returned home, after spending several days here as the house guest of Mrs. Bessie Kind.

Mrs. Floyd Weeks and Mrs. Martha Wooley of Grants Pass, Oregon, formerly residents here, are Grass Valley visitors. They attended the Eastern Star installation ceremonies.

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I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am transacting a business in the City of Nevada, County of Nevada, State of California, under a designation not showing the name of the person interested in such business, to-wit: Nevada City Radio Electric, 413 Broad Street, Nevada City, California.

Dated: December 5, 1947.

Place of Residence: Rt. 1, Box 600, Grass Valley, Calif.

RICHARD M. KNEE.

STATE OF CALFORNIA, COUNTY OF NEVADA, ss.

On the 5th day of December, 1947, before me personally appeared Richard M. Knee, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrumen; and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

WITNESS MY HAND and seal at my office this 5th day of December, 1947.

RUTH I. HUTCHISON,
Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California.

(SEAL)

Dec. 16, 23, 30, 1947; Jan. 6, 1948.

LEGAL NOTICE

United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, District Land Office Sacramento, California, November 25, 1947. M. A. 037940. Notice is hereby given that Quaker Hill Gold Mining Corporation, by its duly appointed attorney-in-fact, George E. Poore, whose post office address is Nevada City, California; has made application for mineral patent for the Aurora or Chollar, and the Summit Ridge No. 1 Placer Mining Claims, both situate in T. 16, N., R. 10 E., M. D. M., California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Aurora or Chollar Place Mining Claim comprising Lots 3, 4, W½ of Lot 5, S½SE¼NW¼, W½NW¼SE¼, Sec. 7, T. 16 N., R. 10 E., M. D. M., and the Summit Ridge No. 1 Placer Mining Claim comprising Lot 2, N½SE¼NW¼, W½SW¼SE¼NW¼, Sec. 7, T. 16 N., R. 10 E., M. D. M. Location notices are recorded in Book 24 of Mining Claims at page 387, and in Book 27 of Mining Claims at page 214, Nevada County Records. All conflicts of the Summit Ridge No. 1 Placer Mining Claim with the Aurora or Chollar Placer Mining Claim are hereby expressly excluded from this application.

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Ellis Purlee, Acting Manager.

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LEGAL NOTICE

No. 8821

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

PEGGY WRIGHT, Plaintiff, vs. ALBERT F. WRIGHT, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, and the Complaint filed in the office of Clerk of said County of Nevada.

The People of the State of California send greetings to ALBERT F. WRIGHT, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgement for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or she will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, this 8th day of July A. D. 1947.

R. N. McCORMACK, Clerk.
By R. E. DEEBLE, Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)

Dec. 9, 16, 23, 30; Jan. 6, 13, 20, 27; Feb. 3, 10.

ONLY 80 VOTE ON DONNER PROPOSAL

NEVADA CITY: County Clerk Ralph E. Deeble yesterday stated that due to the larger area of the proposed Donner Summit Utility District being in Nevada County, there will be approximately 80 persons eligible to vote on the proposal.

Purpose of those supporting the proposal is to provide water for the several resorts in that area.

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December 4, 1947.

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EMIL J. N. OTT, JR.
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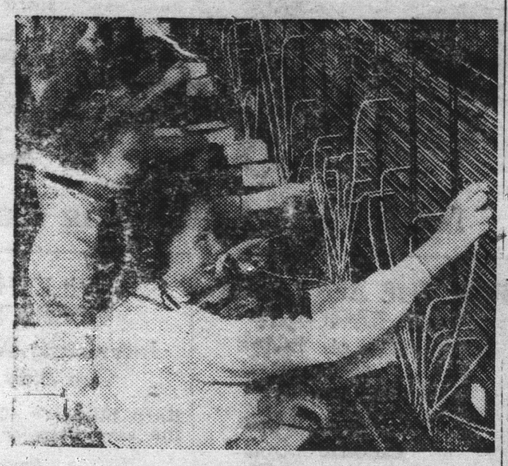

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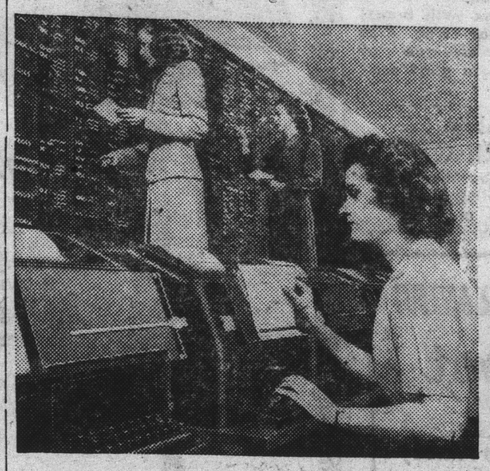

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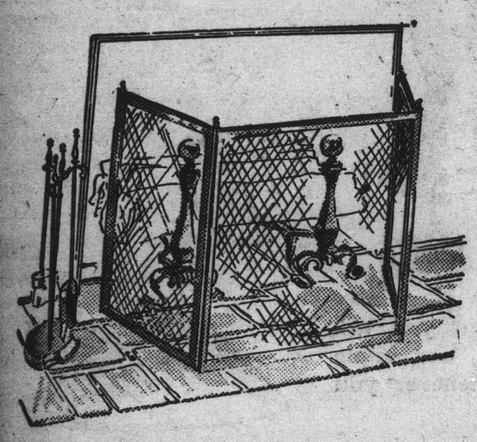

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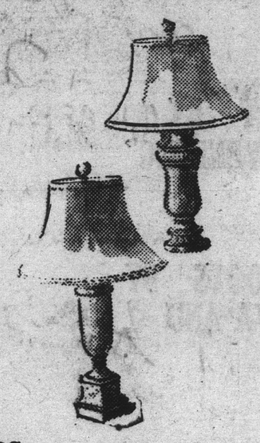

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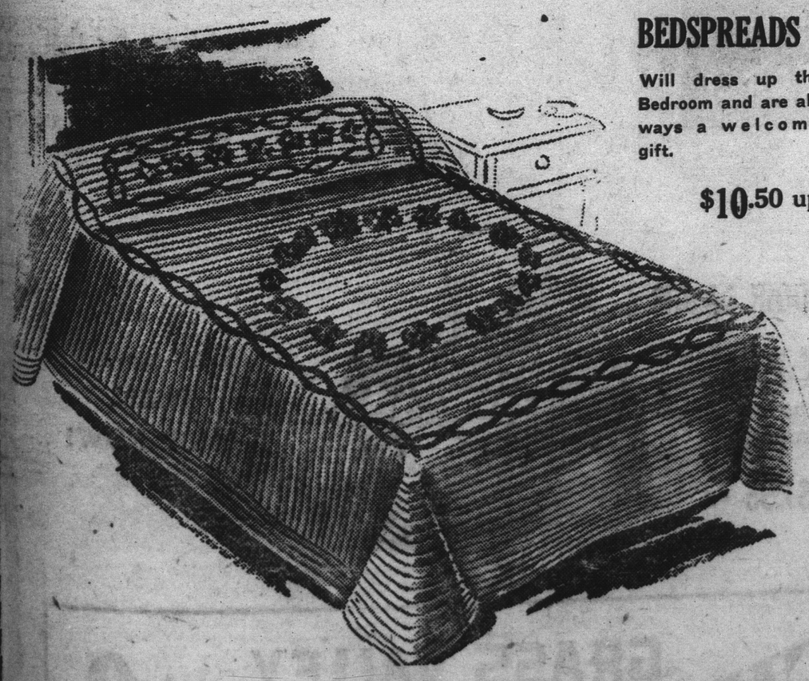

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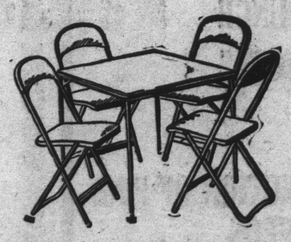

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No. 8909

THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

AGNES MARY RICE, Plaintiff, vs. JOSEPH RICE, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, and the Complaint filed in the office of Clerk of said County of Nevada.

The People of the State of California send greetings to JOSEPH RICE, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada within ten days after the service on you of this Summons —if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or she will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, this 20th day of November, A. D., 1947.

(SEAL)

R. E. DEEBLE, Clerk

By: John Sbaffi, Deputy Clerk

Frank G. Finnegan, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Nov. 21, 28; Dec. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; Jan. 6, 13, 20, 27.

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 8713

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

JACK CUFFMAN, THOMAS GAU and RAYMOND BROWN, Plaintiffs, vs. FRED MANLY, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, and the Complaint filed in the office of Clerk of said County of Nevada.

The People of the State of California send greetings to FRED MANLY, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada within ten days after the service on you of this summons —if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, this 3rd day of February A. D., 1947.

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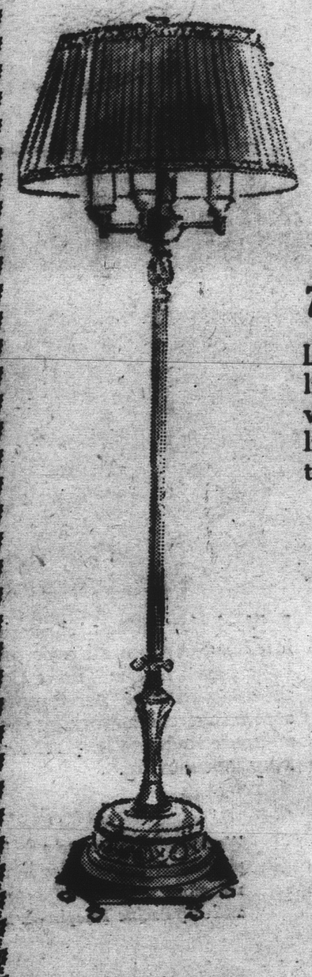

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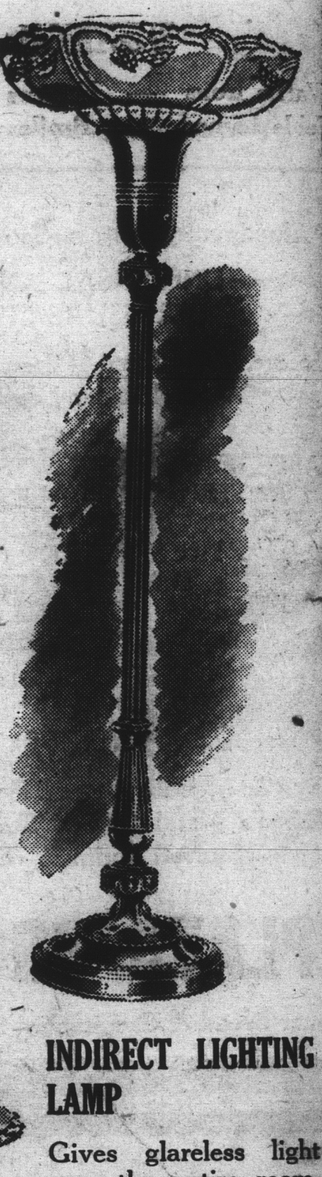

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